

Important Notice for Oversize/Overweight Permit Customers

Effective Immediately

Purpose:

On Wednesday, May 20, 2015 TxDMV began issuing a new Annual Overlength Permit created by the 84th Texas Legislature.

Permit Information:

The Annual Overlength Permit is for the transport of nondivisble loads exceeding Texas legal length limits. To qualify for this permit, vehicles moving empty or hauling a load must be:

- No greater than 8'6" wide, 14' high, 110' long for vehicles and loads on a trailer, or
- No longer than 75' for single vehicles.
- Front overhang cannot be more than 25' and rear overhang may not exceed 30'.

Weights – Must be legal axle and gross weight.

Travel – Permit is valid for travel on all state maintained roadways. Vehicle may not travel on a load-restricted road or load-posted bridge when exceeding the posted capacity. Permit holder is responsible for routing and obtaining current restrictions and information concerning hazardous weather-related road conditions prior to movement. Permit holders may use the Texas Permitting and Routing Optimization System (TxPROS) to generate free routes for loads moving under this permit.

Fees - Annual permit fee is \$960.

Operating Authority Requirements – You must comply with TxDMV Motor Carrier Registration (MCR) or Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) prior to permit issuance. If not required to have TxDMV MCR or UCR, you must have a permit bond in the amount of \$10.000 on file with TxDMV.

Other Permits – An Annual Overlength Permit may be used in conjunction with a 30-, 60- or 90-day overwidth permit.

Note: This permit adds an annual option to the existing 30-, 60-, and 90-day length permit.

Action Required:

Use one of the following methods to apply for the Annual Overlength Permit:

Online: Apply and self-issue using TxPROS http://TxPROS.TxDMV.gov/

For information on how to use TxPROS, including step-by-step video tutorials, go to the TxDMV website at http://www.TxDMV.gov/motor-carriers/oversize-overweight-

permits/txpros-info-and-tutorials.

Fax: Submit completed Form MCD 302a to: (512) 465-4251

Mail: Submit completed Form MCD 302a to:

TxDMV-MCD-BC 4000 Jackson Avenue Austin, Texas 78731

Forms available at www.TxDMV.gov, click on the truck icon, select "Forms" and then "OS/OW Permits."

Contact

Texas Department of Motor Vehicles

Information: Motor Carrier Division – Oversize/Overweight Permits Section

Phone: 1-800-299-1700, option 1

Visit the Motor Carrier portal for all your TxDMV needs at http://www.TxDMV.gov/motor-

<u>carriers</u>.